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on the cover...

Mike McCashland (2) hangs onto Colorado running back Guy Egging near the sidelines, but has help coming from Dave Burke (33).

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LINCOLN, NEB. — It was hand-wringing time for the Cornhusker faithful. The nation's leaders floundered into the half with a 14-12 lead over unheralded Colorado. The Buffs led in yardage, 197-190, and in possession time by a whopping 18:45 to 11:15.

Nebraska's potent offense couldn't do much on the bench. Two CU drives had eaten up 6:15 and 6:20. Gill, Fryar, Rozier and friends had only three real opportunities, scoring on two of them, and a fourth possession with only 1:23 left in the half and 78 yards to go.

The Buffs had surprised with a new "A" formation, with a single running back, and were dealing the Blackshirts fits with a short passing game. A wet turf didn't help the pursuit much, either.

At the half, the defense devised a couple of new schemes and went with an all-out blitz. The Buffs helped out, too, with some miscues and ill-fated decisions.

The result was pure offensive devastation for the Cornhuskers in the third quarter. The quick-strike offense never struck quite so quickly before. Seven touchdowns and 48 points were scored in 18 plays and a combined drive time of 4:14 in the third quarter. The 48 points in the quarter and 55 points in the second half were Big Eight records. The 69 points, to Colorado's final 19, at game's end represented a Memorial Stadium record.

The Husker offensive spree started when Irvy Fryar's 54-yard touchdown reverse completed a two-play, 67-yard drive in 30 seconds. The other six third-quarter TD sorties started on the CU side, fed by a stymied fake punt on the 24, lost fumbles on kickoffs at the 28 and 14, an interception by Rob Stuckey at the 34, a fourth-down stand at the 43 and a 20-yard punt that made it only to the 48.

Mike Rozier carried 19 times for 155 yards — his seventh straight game over 100 yards and moved ahead of Oklahoma's Billy Sims to fourth on the all-time Big Eight rushing chart with 3,851. His four touchdowns on runs of 11, 4, 13 and 18 yards, set a Nebraska record of 32 on the ground, surpassing Rick Berns' 30.

Game Stats

TEAM

	CU	NU
First downs rushing	7	33
First down passing	11	3
First downs penalty	2	1
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	20	37
Attempts rushing	32	72
Yards gained rushing	119	552
Yards lost rushing	7	26
NET YARDS RUSHING	112	526
Passes attempted	42	9
Passes completed	23	7
Passes had intercepted	1	0
NET YARDS PASSING	286	83
Total plays	74	81
TOTAL YARDAGE	309	609
Interception return yds	0	3
Punts-Yards	2-68	0-0
Punting average	34.0	0
Punts blocked	0	0
Punt returns-Yards	0-0	1-6
Kickoff returns-Yards	10-134	4-90
Penalties-Yards	7-61	6-29
Fumbles-Fumbles lost	4-2	3-0

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing

CU — Vogel 3 carries for -1 yards, 0 TD, 3 yard long gain; Egging 4 for 7, 0, 3; McLemore 9 for 21, 1, 7; D. Johnson 14 for 81, 0, 16; Riggins 1 for 1, 0, 1; Marshall 1 for 3, 0, 3.

NU — Gill 7 carries for 52 yards, 1 TD, 19 yard long gain; Rozler 19 for 155, 4, 21; Schellen 7 for 51, 0, 17; Fryar 1 for 54, 1, 54; Mason 2 for 22, 0, 16; Rathman 3 for 22, 0, 13; Smith 10 for 71, 1, 16; Sundberg 2 for 11, 0, 8; Miles 4 for 24, 0, 7; Brungardt 6 for 20, 1, 8; Turner 2 for 17, 0, 14; Porter 2 for 6, 0, 4; Borer 2 for 15, 0, 14; Davis 2 for 17, 0, 12; Napier 1 for 4, 0, 4; Kingston 1 for 0, 0, 0.

PASSING

CU — Vogel 34 attempts, 18 completions, 1 interception, 170 yards, 1 TD, 23 yard long pass; Marshall 8-5 for 116, 0, 0, 63.

NU — Gill 7 attempts, 5 completions for 78 yards, 0 Int., 1 TD, 34 yard long pass.

RECEIVING

CU — Hestera 7 receptions for 66 yards, 1 TD, 15 yard long catch; D. Johnson 5 for 80, 0, 63; McLemore 6 for 34, 0, 10; Embree 3 for 95, 0, 51; Brown 2 for 11, 0, 66.

NU — Fryar 4 receptions for 52 yards, 1 TD, 34 yard long gain; Rozler 1 for 26, 0, 26; Swanson 1 for 1, 1, 1; Thompson 1 for 4, 0, 4.

PUNTING

CU — Braun 2 punts for 68 yards, 34.0 average, 48 yard long punt.

NU — NONE.

ALL RETURNS

CU — Nash 6 kickoff returns for 87 yards; Wilcots 7 kickoff returns for 24 yards; Egging 1 kickoff return for 6 yards; Embree 1 kickoff return for 17 yards.

NU — Smith 1 punt return for 6 yards; Rozier 4 kickoff returns for 90 yards; Stuckey 1 interception return for 3 yards.

DEFENSIVE

CU — Rafferty 2 unassisted, 1 assist for 3 tackles; Hogbin 2-0 for 2; Muncle 6-3 for 9; Hill 3-2 for 5; Smith 1-1 for 2; Mikel 2-0 for 2; Underhill 1-0 for 1; Nery 0-1 for 1; Armstrong 5-1 for 6; Fairbanks 4-4 for 8; Cone 3-1 for 4; Irvin 4-4 for 8; Carroll 4-0 for 4; Riggins 3-2 for 5; Wilcots 2-0 for 2; Scott 12-2 for 14; Rubalcabog 3-0 for 3; Donaldson 8-0 for 8; Davis 3-0 for 3.

NU — Weber 3 unassisted, 2 assists for 5 tackles; Ridder 2-1 for 3; Herrmann 2-1 for 3; Tranmer 3-0 for 3; Graeber 1-2 for 3; Stuckey 2-0 for 2; Strasburger 5-1 for 6; Daum 6-0 for 6; Knox 5-1 for 6; Proffitt 2-0 for 2; Harris 3-2 for 5; Greene 1-0 for 1; Burke 1-1 for 2; McCashland 4-0 for 4; Casterline 2-1 for 3; Clark 3-1 for 4; Schneider 2-0 for 2.

Coach Osborne's Evaluation



'I think Colorado did a good job of coaching. They did some things that gave them a chance to win,' *Tom Osborne.*

Colorado surprised Nebraska with almost exclusive deployment of a one-back offense and also threw out an abnormal number of defensive surprises, and Husker Coach Tom Osborne expects more of the same for this week's trip to Kansas State, which has lost its first three Big Eight Conference games.

"When you're struggling, like Colorado lost to Missouri badly and then lost to Iowa State and then they were looking at us, they probably figured, 'Well, what we've been doing hasn't been that successful, and if we go in there with a pat hand they're prepared, we'd probably have a hard time winning.' So they figure they've got nothing to lose.

"That's when you start seeing a lot of change. So I think we've got to expect some of this. I think we can expect almost anything out of Kansas State. But it is risky, and it is hard to change greatly in one week. I think Colorado did a good job of coaching. They did some things that gave them a chance to win.

"Kansas State typically is a team that defensively will give you some unusual pictures. We've almost always ended up the first couple of series right on the blackboard out there against them because they hardly ever line up the same two years in a row against you.

"You have to guess a lot. You have to practice against a lot of different things."

But Nebraska's first-half problems against the Buffaloes weren't all directly related to the surprise formation.

"The trouble we had the first half was probably due to, No. 1, I think Colorado played

Mike Rozier (30) is hit and coughs up the football in a rare (for him) miscue. Rozier had another big day rushing with 155 yards in only 19 tries and four touchdowns to continue his assault on the Heisman Trophy.



about as well as they can play on both sides of the ball, and then the element of surprise. They didn't just surprise our defense, they surprised our offense, too. They came out in quite a bit of an eight-man front in what we call a strong eagle appearance.

"It wasn't that they'd never shown it, but they just hadn't played it very much. And, of course, the one-back set with two tight ends. Again, they had maybe shown that on four or five occasions earlier, but it would be less than one percent of their offense. So you don't spend much time on that. In this game, it was 100 percent of their offense.

"So we had to do some adjusting. At times, we made some mistakes, like the fumbled snap from center on our first punt (which led to a field goal). Even though we didn't officially have a turnover, it was equivalent to a turnover. We missed some tackles at times, we didn't get lined up on defense right at times, and they just kind of kept us off balance.

"At the end of the half, they had a considerable margin in time of possession and a slight edge statistically. The only thing they were behind in was probably the two points, 14-12. And I think the momentum was probably on their side, too.

"The discouraging thing was that they kept the ball from our offense for long periods of time. But the second half was an entirely different ball game, and I think that scoring in two plays with the reverse to Irving Fryar had a lot to do with it. If I had to pick one play in the game that turned things around, that was it.

"When we went ahead, 21-12, that forced Colorado into more of a gambling mentality where they felt they couldn't just keep playing us; they were going to have to make a big play. Hence the fake punt (it failed), which I don't think was a bad call. If you may get steamrolled, you might as well gamble and try to get yourself back in the ballgame. At that point, they gambled, and they just didn't execute the play.

"Of course, after that, it was just a series of mistakes. I think they gave us the ball four

straight times inside their 30 or thereabouts and we scored every time. And the game was over. So it really snowballed on them.

"One of the dangers of putting a tremendous emotional emphasis on one game (as CU did with Nebraska) is that even though it can lead to a great effort, sometimes when that bubble bursts, it really bursts. It appeared like things just kind of reversed on them 100 percent there when they started having some things go against them.

"I guess I was pleased with the way we played the second half. Our defense played better. We adjusted fairly well. Our offense played pretty well through the whole game when it had the football.

"So, it was just another game. I'm glad we got by it. But I don't think people can just dismiss that first half and say, well, it was one of those things and we were a little flat. It points out that if a team is really ready to play and if they have a good plan and they execute it well that almost any team in our conference has enough people, enough good athletes, that they can conceivably beat us.

"It's just that we had some things happen in the second half that took it all away from them."

1983 Football Schedule

Date	Opponent	Score
Aug. 29	Penn State (at E. Rutherford)	44-6
Sept. 10	Wyoming at Lincoln	56-20
Sept. 17	at Minnesota	84-13
Sept. 24	UCLA at Lincoln	42-10
Oct. 1	Syracuse at Lincoln	63-7
Oct. 8	at Oklahoma State	14-10
Oct. 15	at Missouri	34-13
Oct. 22	Colorado at Lincoln	69-19
Oct. 29	at Kansas State	
Nov. 5	Iowa State at Lincoln	
Nov. 12	Kansas at Lincoln	
Nov. 26	at Oklahoma	

Scoring Summary

Nebraska 69, Colorado 19

Colorado.....	3	9	7	0 — 19
Nebraska	7	7	48	7 — 69

NU-CU	How They Scored	Time Left
	First Quarter	
0- 3	Field, 37 field goal	7:31
	Drive: 20 yards in 6 plays	
7- 3	Rozier, 11 run (Livingston kick)	3:39
	Drive: 69 yards in 10 plays	
	Second Quarter	
7- 6	Field, 20 field goal	12:19
	Drive: 77 yards in 16 plays	
14- 6	Rozier, 4 run (Livingston kick)	7:54
	Drive: 77 yards in 11 plays	
14-12	Hestera, 5 pass from Vogel (kick failed)	1:30
	Drive: 83 yards in 17 plays	
	Third Quarter	
21-12	Fryar, 54 run (Livingston kick)	14:25
	Drive: 67 yards in 2 plays	
28-12	Rozier, 13 run (Livingston kick)	13:07
	Drive: 24 yards in 3 plays	
35-12	Gill, 17 run (Livingston kick)	12:36
	Drive: 28 yards in 2 plays	
42-12	Fryar, 34 pass from Gill (Livingston kick)	9:40
	Drive: 34 yards in 1 play	
48-12	Rozier, 18 run (kick failed)	5:58
	Drive: 43 yards in 3 plays	
55-12	Smith, 12 run (Schnelder kick)	5:15
	Drive: 14 yards in 2 plays	
62-12	Swanson, 1 pass from Mason (Schnelder kick)	2:47
	Drive: 48 yards in 5 plays	
62-19	McLemore, 2 run (Field kick)	:52
	Drive: 80 yards in 6 plays	
	Fourth Quarter	
69-19	Brungardt, 1 run (Hagerman kick)	8:42
	Drive: 80 yards in 16 plays	

Attendance: 76,268

Injury Report

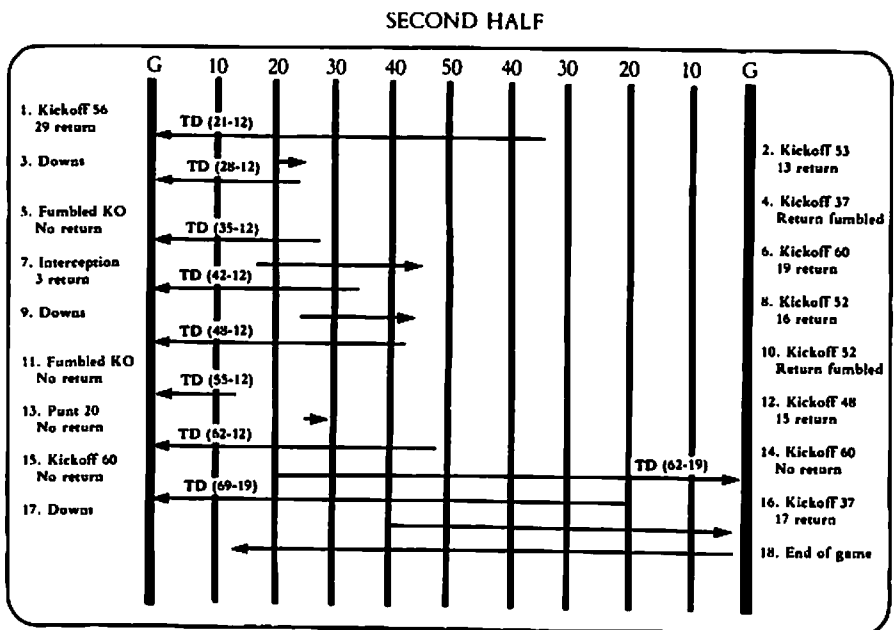
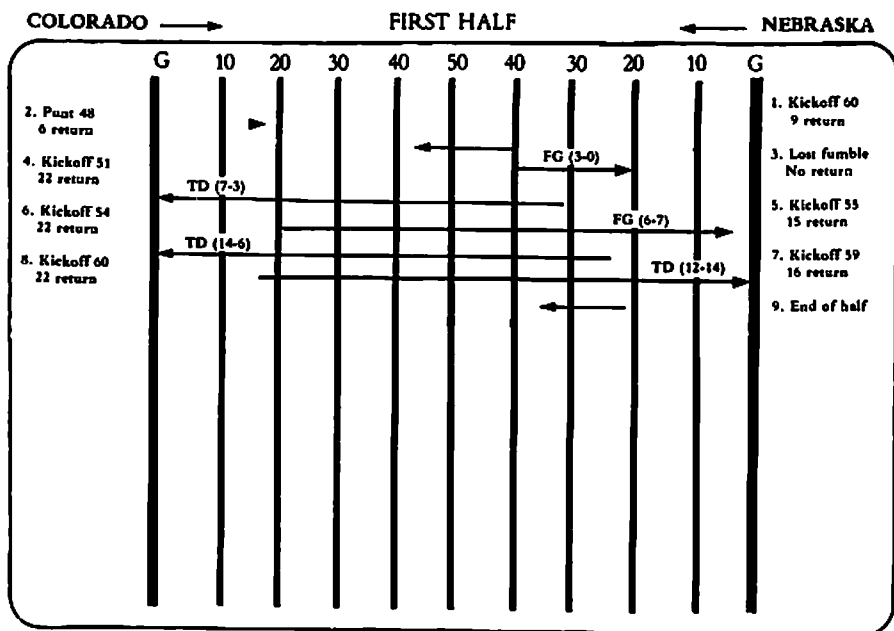
Nebraska's good fortune continued to hold against Colorado. Linebacker Mark Daum, with a bruised knee and shoulder, and guard Dean Steinkuhler, with a strained groin, were the most seriously injured. They were expected to miss some practice time but not enough to keep them out of the Kansas State game.

Others reporting for Sunday treatments included: wingback Irving Fryar and guard Anthony Thomas (bruised knees), defensive back Guy Rozier (chest bruise) and tight end Monte Engebretson and offensive tackle Scott Raridon (bruised hands).

Reserve middle guard Kenny Shead underwent arthroscopic surgery on a knee during Colorado week and is expected to miss two or three games. Regular offensive tackle John Sherlock, who has missed three games with a knee injury isn't expected back for the Wildcats.

"Sherlock will run this week, but since it's an out-of-town game, and we can only take 60 players, I don't think we'll take a chance on him," Trainer George Sullivan said.

Field Position Chart



This field position chart shows how each offense moved the ball on each possession. The numbers and information down the side columns indicate how each possession ended (punt, fumble, interception, kickoff, etc.). If a team loses the ball after a kick (a return for a touchdown or a fumble), no possession will be indicated for the other team.

Turner Gill
squirms free
from a pair of
would-be
tacklers and is
on his way to
another big
gain. The
senior quarter-
back gained 52
yards on the
day in only
seven carries,
one for a
19-yard TD.



Lockerroom Chatter

Victor Scott, CU cornerback — "We came out in the third quarter, and it was like someone dropped the atom bomb on us. I've seen momentum shift, but never so quick."

Scott Strasburger, defensive end — He recovered one of the Colorado fumbled kickoffs in the third quarter. "Colorado came out in a new formation that we had only seen a couple of times. They ran it every play, with two tight ends and two wide wingbacks and only a fullback in the backfield. That gave them four quick receivers on the line. They were picking us apart pretty well and their receivers were making great catches, and their quarterback was playing real well."

"At the half, we put in one defense we hadn't practiced all week and made up another one. It was pretty effective. On the fumble recovery, I saw it was going to be a short kick and I was about 15 or 20 yards away when I saw the ball on the ground. By the time I got there, it was still rolling around."

Mike Keeler, defensive tackle — "They came up with some great catches the first half, and we had a couple of fumbles, but we knew if we kept working hard and plugging away, good things were going to happen."

"Our offense can drive the ball 80 yards easy enough, but if you give it to them in your territory, it just kills you. We didn't have a big pep talk at the half. We knew what we had to do. No one had to say a thing. We were all ticked off."

Charlie McBride, defensive coordinator — "They had us in a real bind in the first half. We tried to put some pressure on them in the first half, but we didn't disguise our blitzes very well. We might as well not practice if we're going to have to change our entire plan at halftime every week."

"We started blitzing about 80 percent of the time, sending about seven people and things improved. We cut to four defenses the second half. I could tell our guys were fed up. They just said, 'That's enough of this stuff.' But it was exciting."

Mike Rozier, I-back — He gained over 100 yards for the seventh consecutive game and 21st time in his career and scored four touchdowns for the third time. "I've had that before. I was just doing my job. They had an opportunity to beat us, but the better team won." Asked if Oklahoma will be the toughest remaining opponent, he said, "That might be the easiest game. Who knows? We may lose next week. What then?"

Irving Fryar, wingback — He followed Ricky Simmons' block on a 54-yard touchdown reverse and ran down Turner Gill's floater in the end zone for a 34-yard touchdown reception. "When Mike (Rozier) is going the other way, people follow him. There was only one guy out there on the reverse, and Ricky was handling him pretty well. I just set up the block."

"On the pass, Turner didn't see me; he just threw the ball right where he knew I'd be."

"The game had a few bad breaks for them and a few good plays by us. We play with the attitude that we're going to win. The people we're playing know we have that attitude. That's why we win a lot. All I want is that diamond (national championship) ring."

Rob Stuckey, defensive tackle — He broke through to run Buff quarterback Steve Vogel out of bounds for a loss and force a field goal when CU had first-and-goal at the NU 2 in the second quarter and later intercepted a screen pass. "It was a lot like last year against Colorado. The weather wasn't conducive to playing that kind of game on defense. We were slipping a lot, but we hung in there. It snowballed in the third quarter and it was over."

Dean Steinkuhler, offensive guard — "Our biggest problem the first half was, our offense didn't have the ball. We only touched it four times. You have to give Colorado credit. They kept it away from us. Our defense played a little better the second half, and most important, they got some turnovers for us."

Season Stats

TEAM

	NU	OPP
First downs rushing	153	64
First down passing	50	75
First downs penalty	9	11
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	212	147
Attempts rushing	490	343
Yards gained rushing	3285	1292
Yards lost rushing	158	256
NET YARDS RUSHING	3127	1036
Passes attempted	122	243
Passes completed	75	121
Passes had intercepted	4	14
NET YARDS PASSING	1233	1632
Total plays	612	586
TOTAL YARDAGE	4360	2668
Interception return yds	221	0
Punts-Yards	25-1065	49-1959
Punting average	42.6	40.0
Punts blocked	0	0
Punt returns-Yards	34-301	13-53
Kickoff returns-Yards	16-305	51-908
Penalties-Yards	45-388	45-388
Fumbles-Fumbles lost	33-12	19-10

Individual Rushing

	Att.	Yds.	Yds. Lost	Net Yds.	Avg.	Long Gain
Rozler	163	1226	7	1219	7.5	71
Schellen	57	376	3	373	6.5	65
Gill	71	429	84	345	4.9	47
J. Smith	63	326	2	324	5.1	16
Fryar	15	238	0	238	15.9	54
Miles	27	192	0	192	7.1	25
Mason	27	191	12	179	6.6	39
Sundberg	14	86	22	64	4.6	44
Brungardt	13	47	0	47	3.6	8
Rathman	11	46	0	46	4.2	16
Divis	5	25	2	23	4.6	12
Porter	6	23	0	23	3.8	5
Borer	3	21	0	21	7.0	14
Turner	3	19	0	19	6.3	14
Swanson	2	16	0	16	8.0	9
Lindstrom	1	11	0	11	11.0	11

Passing

	Att.	Com.	Int.	Yds.	Pct.	TD
Gill	103	64	2	1053	62.1	10
Sundberg	10	8	0	148	80.0	2
Mason	8	3	1	32	37.5	2
Rozler	1	0	1	0	0.0	0

Pass Receiving

	No.	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
Fryar	29	632	21.8	70	7
Kimball	9	139	15.4	42	0
Rozler	8	85	10.6	26	0
Simmons	8	76	9.5	13	0
J. Smith	4	77	19.3	51	1
Prain	4	73	18.3	32	2
Eng'br't'n	4	34	8.5	19	1
Swanson	3	45	15.0	31	1
Rathman	2	26	13.0	17	1

Scoring

	TD	PAT	2-PAT	FG	TP
Rozler	17				102
Fryar	9		1-1		56
Schellen	6				36
Gill	6				36
D. Schneider		30-33		1-1	33
Smith	5				30
Livingston	2	16-17	0-0		16
Prain	2				12
Mason	2				12
Miles	2				12
Sundberg	2				12

Defensive Statistics

	Unast. Tackles	Ass. Tackles	Total Tackles	For Loss
Linemen				
Bunger	1		1	-
Graber	7	8	15	3-15
Herrmann	10	4	14	3-16
Keeler	11	18	29	1-6
Pracuner	9	0	9	3-12
Reeves	0	2	2	-
Reinhardt	2	0	2	1-2
Keynolds	5	0	5	-
Ridder	14	14	28	4-31
Shead	7	4	11	-
Skow	15	4	19	7-40
B. Smith	2	0	2	-
Strasburger	14	16	30	5-14
Stuckey	16	12	28	5-20
Tranmer	14	13	27	2-8
Tucker	4	1	5	-
Tyrer	1	1	2	1-4
Weber	14	8	22	1-6
White	1	0	1	1-10
Zierke	2		2	2-17

Linebackers

Armstrong		2	2	-
Dalfer	10	5	15	1-1
Daum	32	37	69	8-13
Forch	1	0	1	-
Gangwish	1	1	2	-
Holloway	6	2	8	-
Knox	35	42	77	6-23
McCoy	4	2	6	-
Proffitt	12	4	16	-
Wade	0	1	1	-

Bucks

Biggers	1	0	1	-
Burke	17	13	30	1-1
Casterline	5	2	7	1-7
Clark	23	5	28	-
Fisher	5	3	8	-
Greene	6	1	7	-
Harris	22	12	34	-
McCashland	20	18	38	1-9
Falge	2	1	3	-
Pokorny	1	0	1	-
G. Rozler	2	0	2	-
Schneider	11	4	15	1-1
Thorell	2	0	2	-



Mike Tranmer (64) hangs on while help comes from all sides. Tranmer had three tackles on the day and the Huskers limited the Buffs to only 112 yards rushing in the contest.

The Lineups

TWO DEEP

NEBRASKA DEFENSE

- LE**
87 Bill Weber, 6-2, 210, So.
86 Dave Ridder, 6-1, 205, Sr.
- LT**
61 Mike Keeler, 6-4, 245, Sr.
63 Doug Hermann, 6-4, 275, Sr.
- MG**
64 Mike Tranmer, 5-11, 230, Sr.
52 Ken Graeber, 6-2, 250, Jr.
- RT**
75 Rob Stuckey, 6-3, 250, Jr.
95 Jim Skow, 6-3, 225, So.
- RE**
90 Scott Strasburger, 6-1, 205, Jr.
85 Wade Praeuner, 5-11, 200, Sr.
- SLB**
51 Mark Daum, 6-3, 235, Jr.
45 Chad Daffer, 6-0, 215, So.
- MLB**
44 Mike Knox, 6-3, 235, Jr.
43 Tony Holloway, 6-2, 200, So.
- LC**
11 Neil Harris, 6-1, 195, Jr.
5 Rickey Greene, 5-9, 175, Jr.
- MON**
2 Mike McCashland, 6-1, 195, Jr.
24 Dan Casterline, 5-10, 205, So.
- S**
10 Bret Clark, 6-2, 200, Jr.
29 Gary Schneider, 5-11, 185, So.
- RC**
33 Dave Burke, 5-10, 195, Jr.
6 Todd Fisher, 6-0, 190, So.

NEBRASKA OFFENSE

- SE**
17 Ricky Simmons, 5-10, 175, Sr.
88 Scott Kimball, 6-0, 185, Jr.
- LT**
66 John Sherlock, 6-1, 260, Sr.
73 Mark Behning, 6-8, 290, Jr.
- LG**
58 Harry Grimminger, 6-3, 260, Jr.
53 Anthony Thomas, 6-2, 275, Jr.
- C**
57 Mark Traynowicz, 6-6, 260, Jr.
54 Brad Muehling, 6-0, 220, Sr.
- RG**
71 Dean Steinhuhler, 6-3, 270, Sr.
70 Brian Blankenship, 6-0, 260, So.
- RT**
72 Scott Raridon, 6-3, 280, Sr.
65 Tim Roth, 5-11, 260, So.
- TE**
83 Monte Engebretson, 6-1, 220, Sr.
80 Todd Frain, 6-2, 215, So.
- QB**
12 Turner Gill, 6-0, 190, Sr.
8 Nate Mason, 6-0, 205, Sr.
- IB**
30 Mike Rozier, 5-11, 210, Sr.
28 Jeff Smith, 5-9, 190, Jr.
- FB**
25 Mark Schellen, 5-10, 225, Sr.
26 Tom Rathman, 6-0, 220, So.
- WB**
27 Irving Fryar, 6-0, 200, Sr.
17 Shane Swanson, 5-9, 195, Jr.
- PAT & FG**
1 Dave Schneider, 5-7, 175, So.
48 Scott Livingston, 6-2, 200, Jr.
- P**
47 Dan Wingard, 6-1, 200, So.
48 Scott Livingston, 6-2, 200, Jr.

KANSAS STATE DEFENSE

- LCB**
26 Ivan Pearl, 5-9, 176, Sr.
40 Adrian Barber, 6-0, 170, So.
- LE**
97 L.E. Madison, 6-0, 217, Sr.
32 Greg Strahm, 6-3, 233, So.
- LT**
98 Reggie Singletary, 6-0, 254, Sr.
91 Kyle Clawson, 6-4, 223, Jr.
- LG**
75 Curtis Hughes, 6-2, 289, Fr.
77 Les Miller, 6-6, 251, Fr.
- RG**
60 Mark Newton, 6-3, 262, Sr.
96 Todd Underwood, 6-2, 258, So.
- RT**
81 Bob Daniels, 6-3, 230, Jr.
55 Danny Sparks, 6-1, 240, Sr.
- RE**
34 Grady Newton, 6-0, 196, Fr.
5 Scott Lauridsen, 6-3, 208, Sr.
- RCB**
2 Nelson Nickerson, 5-10, 171, Jr.
18 Dennis Allen, 5-11, 171, Jr.
- FS**
17 Davis Ast, 6-0, 174, So.
26 Jack Epps, 6-0, 192, So.
- LB**
92 Bill Keeley, 5-11, 209, Sr.
49 Doug Johnson, 6-0, 215, Jr.
- LB**
48 Stu Peters, 5-11, 208, Sr.
21 Bob Kerr, 6-2, 208, Sr.

KANSAS STATE OFFENSE

- SE**
20 Mike Wallace, 6-2, 175, Jr.
83 Darrel Wild, 6-0, 153, Sr.
- WT**
67 Jeff Koyl, 6-5, 273, Jr.
53 Jerry Poole, 6-3, 238, So.
- WG**
69 Randy Voelker, 6-4, 254, Jr.
54 John Nearhouse, 6-0, 246, So.
- C**
50 Andy Harding, 6-2, 233, So.
71 Tim Stone, 6-3, 255, So.
- SG**
70 Calvin Switzer, 6-1, 256, Jr.
63 Bob Bessert, 6-2, 252, Fr.
- ST**
68 Damian Johnson, 6-5, 280, Fr.
62 Guy Huggins, 6-3, 257, So.
- TE**
82 Eric Bailey, 6-5, 213, Fr.
84 Mike Russell, 6-3, 213, Jr.
- FL**
88 Eric Mack, 6-3, 206, Sr.
30 James Witherspoon, 5-7, 134, Fr.
- QB**
7 Doug Boque, 6-1, 195, Sr.
11 Donnie Campbell, 6-5, 215, Jr.
- TB**
41 Greg Dageforde, 6-0, 203, So.
44 James Ricketts, 6-0, 188, So.
- FB**
39 Charles Crawford, 6-1, 199, Jr.
31 Lemuel James, 5-9, 192, Jr.
- PK**
10 Steve Willis, 6-2, 194, Jr.
38 John Chandler, 6-0, 174, Sr.
- P**
2 Scott Fulhage, 5-11, 187, Jr.

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The Huskers Say...

Huskers Illustrated

"Last year, Kansas State enjoyed the fruits of the Grand Redshirt Experiment of 1981, when 34 players sat out, including a bevy of senior leaders, in anticipation of '82. The payoff was a 6-5-1 record, which isn't much by Nebraska standards, but it was the first winner in Manhattan since 1970 and the resultant bowl game was the first in school history.

"Such success was almost a giddy experience for the long-suffering 'Cats. Now, grim reality has returned. The redshirt program dropped off to 16 last year, and 18 freshmen, three sophs and two juniors are currently on hold.

"Meanwhile, the remainder have dropped to the bottom of the Big Eight heap at 2-5 overall and 0-3 in the league. Consecutive losses have been to Oklahoma (29-10), Kansas (31-3) and Missouri (38-0). Nebraska whipped Mizzou, 34-13.

"K-State's victories have been over TCU and Wyoming (27-25), which lost at Nebraska, 56-20.

"The Wildcats have historically been pesky on defense, but Oklahoma managed 390 yards rushing on them, Kansas passed for 321 yards and Wyoming totaled 495. Nebraska will surely surpass the rushing and total offense numbers.

"Still, K-State's best players are on defense, notably, tackle Reggie Singletary, end L.E. Madison and free safety Davis Ast. Punter Scott Fulhage has a strong leg, which he will need. **Nebraska 56, Kansas State 10."**

Bob Hentzen

Topeka, Kans., Capital-Journal

"At an alumni gathering during the summer, Kansas State Coach Jim Dickey said that he felt confident against any opposition — including Oklahoma and Nebraska — when the Wildcats played in KSU Stadium. He hinted the 1983 Wildcats would upset either the Sooners or the Cornhuskers.

"K-State took a 10-0 lead against Oklahoma early, but would up a 29-10 loser. Considering how things have been going for the Wildcats, K-State will be fortunate to stay that close against the Cornhuskers.

"Both offensive and defensive shortcomings have made this a disappointing season so far at Kansas State. Nebraska figures to be able to name the score Saturday."

Mark Janssen

Manhattan, Kans., Mercury

"While everything has gone just as the Doctor (Osborne) ordered at Nebraska, Jim Dickey's football Wildcats have been on the critical list for most of the season.

"A dose of Big Red tonic will only put the 'Cats deeper into the Fryar pan, heaving at the Gill's and their disposition less than Rozier.

"Saturday will just be like the last 14 years, and I'll take the average score of those 14 games — Red 39, Purple 8.

"How's K-State going to get 8? It's a better question than who's going to win."

Mike Pratt

York News-Times

"I thought at the beginning of the season that Kansas State was going to be a much stronger team than they've shown. They've been kicked around a couple of times this year by teams which I don't feel are nearly as good as Nebraska.

"I think it's pretty obvious that Nebraska is in a class by itself this year. Two years ago the Huskers killed them in Manhattan, and I think they'll do it again this year. How about Nebraska 49, Kansas State 13."

Jack Donahue

Holdrege Citizen

"The only advantage Kansas State might have down at Manhattan will be their home field. But I don't think that's going to last maybe more than the first quarter.

"It's possible, even with K-State having a down season, that they will be able to rev up some enthusiasm for Nebraska, mostly because of the fact Nebraska will be number one.

"I think when the early surge wears off for Kansas State, it'll probably be something like 58-7 when it's over. There's just too much difference in depth and talent."

Tom Shatel

Kansas City Star and Times

"Obviously it's one of the bigger mismatches of the season. Coach Jim Dickey had a hunch in the pre-season that the Wildcats would upset either Oklahoma or the Cornhuskers.

"Things haven't worked out the way they thought they would.

"Their best chance for an upset was against Oklahoma because they've played them tough the last couple of years, but they fell short of that.

"They (the two teams) are still too far apart. Kansas State likes to emulate Nebraska with the redshirt program and everything, but I think there will be at least a six or seven touchdown spread easily.

"The only thing that will stop Nebraska would be complacency or themselves."

Don Gill

KLIN Radio, Lincoln

"The Huskers are in overdrive right now! The Big Eight title is not too far down the road. Like Colorado, here's a game that only can be lost by weird bounces, strange calls and a rash of injuries!

"It should prove another great afternoon for Nebraska's "Three Husketeers" — Gill, Rozier and Fryar! Nebraska 49, K-State 3."



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